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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

June 28, 2001

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, the applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the first month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of February 28, 2001.

A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$208.00, which includes \$110.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time, is attached hereto.

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Respectfully submitted,

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